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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20463

Attn: Michael Young

RE: C00025379 - Reply to Jan. 2, 2001 correspondence:
12 Day Pre-General Report (10/01/00 - 10/18/00)

Dear Mr. Young:

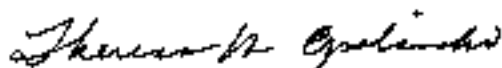
This is in response to the above referenced correspondence.

Regarding the following items:

1. Schedule A of the report discloses contributions received after the Primary election which were designated for the primary. I reported that contributions of \$1,000 each received from Amy R. St. John Hamilton and Palmer Hamilton on Oct. 16, 2000. I have documentation indicating that these contributions were designated for the Primary in a letter received by our committee prior to the Primary and dated September 7, 2000. (Please refer to attached copies.) While I did not receive copies of these letters, or the checks, until after I filed the previous report, I now understand that I should have amended the previous report - and I am in the process of doing so - to reflect these contributions to the primary.
2. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages needed to be amended to reflect the amendment to the previous report. This has been done and I have enclosed the appropriate pages. I will re-run these pages after I amend the previous report to reflect item 1 above.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. I trust that this response accurately addresses your concerns regarding the above noted Report.

Sincerely,



Theresa M. Opalinski, Treasurer
Friends of John LaFalce